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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Application No. 10,611,549  
Filing Date June 30, 2003  
First Named Inventor Matayabas Jr. et al.  
Art Unit 2814  
Examiner Name Nathan W. Ha  
Attorney Docket No. 42P16901

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See instruction sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114** – Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).
  - a.  Previously submitted If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.
    - i.  Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_ (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.)
    - ii.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
    - iii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - b.  Enclosed
    - i.  Amendment/Reply
    - ii.  Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
    - iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
    - iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Miscellaneous**
  - a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
  - b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.
  - a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 02-2666
    - i.  RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
    - ii.  Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
    - iii.  Processing fee under 37 CFR § 1.17(i) for Limited Suspension of Action
    - iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - b.  Check in the amount of \$ 770.00 enclosed
  - c.  Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)  
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### SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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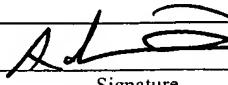
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Applicants: Matayabas Jr. et al.

Serial No.: 10/611,549

Filed: June 30, 2003

For: WIRE-BONDED PACKAGE WITH  
ELECTRICALLY INSULATING WIRE  
ENCAPSULANT AND THERMALLY  
CONDUCTIVE OVERMOLD

Docket No.: 42P16901

Examiner: Nathan W. Ha

Art Unit: 2814

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### AMENDMENT C (37 C.F.R. § 1.114)

Sir:

This amendment is submitted together with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for the above-noted patent application.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner do the following with this amendment:

1. Please enter the amendments to the specification, if any, in section I.
2. Please enter the amendments to the claims, if any, in section II.
3. Please consider the amendments in sections I and II in view of the remarks in section III.



Attorney's Docket No.: 42P16901

Patent

In re the Application of: Matayabas Jr. et al.  
(inventor(s))

Application No.: 10/611,549

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For: WIRE-BONDED PACKAGE WITH ELECTRICALLY INSULATING WIRE ENCAPSULANT AND  
THERMALLY CONDUCTIVE OVERMOLD  
(title)

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SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Response for the above-referenced application.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached for presentation of additional claim(s).  
 Applicant(s) hereby Petition(s) for an Extension of Time of \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached for processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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